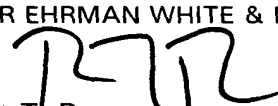


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Application Elements	Accompanying Application Papers
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification containing <u>134</u> pages (including claims and Abstract). a. Title: SINGLE NUCLEOTIDE POLYMORPHISMS AND MUTATIONS ON ALPHA-2-MACROGLOBULIN b. Number of claims: <u>88</u> 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>22</u> sheets of drawings with <u>1</u> Figures. 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Declaration from parent application. 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sequence Listing (<u>47</u> pages) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paper copy (identical to computer copy) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Computer readable copy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Verified statement	6. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Assignments from prior application 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status is claimed 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment 9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard
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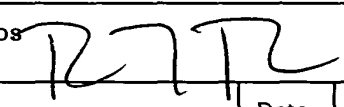
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